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Entitled:

COMPACT FUEL PRCESSOR FOR PRODUCING A HYDROGEN RICH GAS

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Enclosed are:

\boxtimes	A specification including: 16 pages of disclosure, 9 page(s) of claims, and an Abstract
\boxtimes	Drawings consisting of 3 sheets.
	Declaration and Power of Attorney.
	An assignment of the invention to for recording.
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